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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAIR, CH, LA, VN

SUBJECT: PRC SIGNS CIVIL AIR AGREEMENT WITH LAOS

REF: VIENTIANE 4050

1. THE PRC SIGNED A CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT WITH THE PROVISIONAL NATIONAL UNION GOVERNMENT OF LAOS AUGUST 27 IN PEKING (NCNA AUGUST 28). A FEW DAYS EARLIER ON AUGUST 22, LAOS ALSO SIGNED A PROTOCOL TO ITS 1961 CIVIL AIR AGREEMENT WITH THE DRV (NCNA AUGUST 25). NO DETAILS OF EITHER AGREEMENT WERE ANNOUNCED.

2. THE SIGNING OF THE AGREEMENTS PROVIDES A FRAMEWORK FOR THE INITIATION OF A LAOTIAN-PRC AIR SERVICE VIA THE DRV. EARLIER REPORTS (REFTEL) INDICATED A VIENTIANE-HANOI-CANTON-SHANGHAI-PEKING SERVICE WAS PLANNED. IF CANTON IS INCLUDED ON THE RUN, IT WILL BE THE FIRST TIME THAT CANTON HAS BEEN PROVIDED WITH REGULAR INTERNATIONAL AIR SERVICE. CROSS

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